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AND RELATED METHODS

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Section 56, Page 1, column 2, change "Watermaking," to --Watermarking,"--.

Section 56, Page 2, column 1, change "4,677,435 A 6/1987 D'Agraives et al" to --4,677,435 A 6/1987 Causse D'Agraives et al.--.

Section 56, page 4, column 2, first Komatsu reference, change "Komarsu et al.," to --Komatsu et al.--.

Section 56, page 4, column 2, second Komatsu reference, change "Nov. 52, 1988," to --No. 52, 1988,--.

Section 56, page 4, column 2, Kurak reference, change "Cautionary Not On" to --Cautionary Note On--.

Section 56, page 5, column 1, Proceedings; "Technological... reference, change "Program in Digital" to --Program on Digital--.

Section 56, page 5, column 1, Bruckstein reference, line 3, change "361-89, 1988." To --361-89, 1998.--.

Section 57 (Abstract), line 2, change "track are used" to --track can be used--.

Section 57 (Abstract), lines 6-9, delete "Each frame of a video signal may have one or more video objects. The auxiliary information is embedded in video or audio signals using "steganographic" methods, such as digital watermarks."

Section 57 (Abstract), line 17, after "artist, etc." insert the following: -- In accordance with another aspect, a method of processing video content includes receiving video content (including picture element data and non-picture element data), reading certain of the non-picture element data, and checking information steganographically encoded in the picture data that is related to the read data for expected correspondence.--.

Column 1, line 6, change "COP of Ser. No. 09/408,902" to --CIP of Ser. No. 09/408,902--.

Column 2, line 60, change "the watermark operable" to --the watermark is operable--.

Column 4, line 60, change "allowing the view to" to --allowing the viewer to--.

Column 7, line 28, change "There a number" to --There are a number--.

Column 12, lines 1-2, change "actions and presented the" to --actions and present the--.

Column 12, line 18, change "is video player" to --is a video player--.

Column 12, line 55, change "also included decompressing" to --also include decompressing--.

Column 13, line 38, change "with a location" to --with location--.

Column 15, line 48, change "has scene before" to --has seen before--.

Column 15, line 56, change "it filter the" to --it filters the--.

Column 18, line 15, change "when its converted" to --when it's converted--.

Column 19, line 16, change "and his states" to --and his stats--.

Column 19, line 67, change "visit there site" to --visit their site--.

Column 23, Claim 14, lines 51-52, change "in the same frames of the video signal, and the watermark" to --in at least one same frame of the video signal and wherein the watermark--.

Column 23, Claim 20, line 32, change "associated with the vides" to --associated with the video--.

Column 23, Claim 22, line 39, change "graphically embed in" to --graphically embedded in--.

Column 23, Claim 22, line 40-41, change "for expeced correspondence" to --for expected correspondence--.

Column 23, Claim 22, line 41, change "associated informative conveyed" to --associated information conveyed--.

Column 23, Claim 23, line 47, change "cheking for a" to --checking for a--.

A Certificate of Correction (Form PTO/SB44) is enclosed to make formal notice of the errors in the subject patent.

We have attached initialed copies of our Form PTO 1449s evidencing the consideration of the above-listed art under section 56.

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Section 56, Page 1, column 2, change "Watermaking," to --Watermarking, "--.

Section 56, Page 2, column 1, change "4,677,435 A 6/1987 D'Agraives et al" to --4,677,435 A 6/1987 Causse D'Agraives et al.--.

Section 56, page 4, column 2, first Komatsu reference, change "Komarsu et al.," to Komatsu et al.--.

Section 56, page 4, column 2, second Komatsu reference, change "Nov. 52, 1988," to No. 52, 1988.--.

Section 56, page 4, column 2, Kurak reference, change "Cautionary Not On" to Cautionary Note On--.

Section 56, page 5, column 1, Proceedings; "Technological... reference, change "Program in Digital" to --Program on Digital--.

Section 56, page 5, column 1, Bruckstein reference, line 3, change "361-89, 1988." To 361 89, 1998.--.

Section 57 (Abstract), line 2, change "track are used" to --track can be used--.

Section 57 (Abstract), lines 6-9, delete "Each frame of a video signal may have one or more video objects. The auxiliary information is embedded in video or audio signals using "steganographic" methods, such as digital watermarks."

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Section 57 (Abstract), line 17, after "artist, etc." insert the following: -- In accordance with another aspect, a method of processing video content includes receiving video content (including picture element data and non-picture element data), reading certain of the non-picture element data, and checking information steganographically encoded in the picture data that is related to the read data for expected correspondence.--

Column 1, line 6, change "COP of Ser. No. 09/408,902" to --CIP of Ser. No. 09/408,902--.

Column 2, line 60, change "the watermark operable" to --the watermark is operable--.

Column 4, line 60, change "allowing the view to" to --allowing the viewer to--.

Column 7, line 28, change "There a number" to --There are a number--.

Column 12, lines 1-2, change "actions and presented the" to --actions and present the--.

Column 12, line 18, change "is video player" to --is a video player--.

Column 12, line 55, change "also included decompressing" to --also include decompressing--.

Column 13, lines 38, change "with a location" to --with location--.

Column 15, line 48, change "has scene before" to --has seen before--.

Column 15, line 56, change "it filter the" to --it filters the--.

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Column 18, line 15, change "when its converted" to --when it's converted--.

Column 19, line 16, change "and his states" to --and his stats--.

Column 19, line 67, change "visit there site" to --visit their site--.

Column 23, Claim 14, lines 51-52, change "in the same frames of the video signal, and the watermark" to --in at least one same frame of the video signal and wherein the watermark--.

Column 23, Claim 20, line 32, change "associated with the vides" to --associated with the video--.

Column 23, Claim 22, line 39, change "graphically embed in" to --graphically embedded in--.

Column 23, Claim 22, line 40-41, change "for expeced correspondence" to --for expected correspondence--.

Column 23, Claim 22, line 41, change "associated informative conveyed" to --associated information conveyed--.

Column 23, Claim 23, line 47, change "cheking for a" to --checking for a--.

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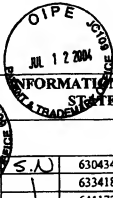
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